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1. RSO PAYNE RECENTLY COMPLETED INITIAL VISIT TO MAPUTO AND LIKE POST PERSONNEL WAS LESS THAN IMPRESSED WITH GUARD SYSTEM PROVIDED UNDER REIMBURSABLE SCHEME BY GPRM. BELIEVE, HOWEVER, THAT WHILE GUARDS AND WINDOW GRILLS FALL INTO SAME BROAD HEADING FOR GENERAL ADMINISTRATIVE PURPOSES, THEIR TECHNICAL PURPOSES ARE EQUALLY DISTINGUISHABLE ONE FROM THE OTHER. WHILE MAIN THRUST OF RESPONSE TO REFTEL IS FORTHCOMING FROM POST, RSO CONTINUES TO RECOMMEND POSITIVE GRILLING AND REINFORCEMENT OF ALL GROUND LEVEL OPENINGS AND ALL APPROACHABLE UPPER LEVEL OPENINGS FOR ALL RESIDENTIAL QUARTERS AT MAPUTO.

2. WHILE PAST BURGLARY/THEFT PROBLEMS ARE IMPORTANT INDEXES IN MAKING COST ANALYSIS OF TANGIBLE LOSSES VIS-A-VIS NEED FOR PROTECTION, RSO'S VISCERAL REACTION TO INITIAL VISIT TO MAPUTO IS THAT GRILLS REPRESENT PRUDENT PLANNING. BOWDLER

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